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Kenneth J. Lancos et al.

Application No.: 09/965,954

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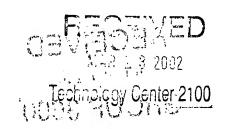
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## CROSS-REFERENCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(2) TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

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#### Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(2), applicants hereby cross-reference the following related patent applications, which are all assigned to the same assignee as the present patent application.

- (1) A U.S. Patent Application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MAKING</u>

  <u>MONETARY TRANSACTIONS WITHIN A COVERAGE AREA</u> by Kenneth J. Lancos and
  Thomas J. Land, Application No. 09/965,953, filed September 28, 2001. Atty. Dkt. No.
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- (2) A U.S. Patent Application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING</u>

  MONETARY CREDITS TO A GUEST WITHIN A COVERAGE AREA by Kenneth J. Lancos

and Thomas J. Land, Application No. 09/966,677, filed September 28, 2001. Atty. Dkt. No. 005243.P002

- (3) A U.S. Patent Application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR</u>

  <u>SELECTIVELY ALLOWING THE PASSAGE OF A GUEST THROUGH A REGION WITHIN A COVERAGE AREA</u> by Kenneth J. Lancos and Thomas J. Land, Application No. 09/967,667, filed September 28, 2001. Atty. Dkt. No. 005243.P004
- (4) A U.S. Patent Application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR</u>

  TRANSMITTING MESSAGES FROM A GUEST TO ANOTHER PARTY AT A COVERAGE

  AREA by Kenneth J. Lancos and Thomas J. Land, Application No. 09/967,689, filed September 28, 2001. Atty. Dkt. No. 005243.P005
- (5) A U.S. Patent Application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MAKING</u>

  <u>RESERVATION TIMES FOR AN EVENT AT A COVERAGE AREA</u> by Kenneth J. Lancos and Thomas J. Land, Application No. 09/967,690, filed September 28, 2001. Atty. Dkt. No. 005243.P006
- (6) A U.S. Patent Application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CREATING</u>

  <u>A GROUP OF GUESTS AT A COVERAGE AREA</u> by Kenneth J. Lancos and Thomas J. Land,

  Application No. 09/968,405, filed September 28, 2001. Atty. Dkt. No. 005243.P007

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